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Transmittal of Continuation-In-Part Patent Application for Filing Under 37 CFR §1.53(b)

Box Patent Application
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application by inventors:

Raymond L. Rodriguez, Ning Huang, and entitled:

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- □ Certificate of Express Mail.
- \boxtimes One utility patent application containing text pages 1-36 and \boxtimes 13 Sheets of drawings.
- □ Declaration of Inventorship (unsigned)

2. Amendment

- Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment before calculating the filing fee. It is understood that only amendments reducing the number of claims will be entered for this purpose.
- Please cancel original claims *, inclusive, before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim should be retained for filing purposes.)

Extension of Time

- A *-month time extension to file a Response to the Final Office Action dated * has been filed in the parent to extend the pendency of the parent to *(copy enclosed).
- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if required to establish copendency with the parent after all papers filed herewith have been considered.

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4. U.S. Priority

This application is a continuation-in-part of U. S. Patent Application No. 09/344,438 filed June 25, 1999, which claims priority to U.S. provisional patent application Ser. No. 60/090,896 filed June 25, 1998, now abandoned, all of which are incorporated herein in their entirety.

Foreign Priority

- Priority of Application No. * filed in * on * is claimed under 35 USC §119.
- A certified copy of this priority document is enclosed.

6. Prior Documents Still In Effect

This application and parent application Serial No. 09/344,438 filed <u>June 25, 1999</u> are assigned of record to <u>Applied Phytologics, Inc.</u> by virtue of an assignment recorded at Reel 010343, Frame 0203 on November 1, 1999.

Entity Status

Small entity status is proper for this case.

Fees

The filing fee has been calculated taking into account any amendments in section 2 above:

| For: | (Col. 1) | (Col. 2) | · | | | Other Than a Small Entity | |
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| | No. Filed | No. Extra | Rate | Fee | | Rate | Fee |
| Basic Fee | | | | \$355.00 | or | | \$710.00 |
| Total Claims | 19 - 20 | 0 | 0 x \$9 = | \$ 00.00 | or | 0 x \$ 18 = | \$ 00.00 |
| Independent Claims | 8 - 3 | 5 | 5 x \$40 = | \$200.00 | or | 0 x \$ 80 = | \$ 00.00 |
| ☐ Multiple Dependent Claim Presented | | | + \$135 = | \$ | or | + \$270 = | \$ 00.00 |
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account 50-0665.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 17,2001

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